



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Examiner:
Masaki Nakamura et al.	Veronica F. Faison
Serial No.: 10/781,280	Art Unit: 1755
Filed: February 17, 2004	
Title: Water-Based Cyan Ink For Ink-Jet Printing, Color Ink Set Containing The Same And Image Forming Method Using The Ink Set	

Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Examiner Faison:

Applicants are responding to the final Office Action dated March 8, 2005, which has a statutorily shortened period for response that ends on June 8, 2005.

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